

Message Text

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 01 AMMAN 07243 040814Z

ACTION NEA-10

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 IO-14 EUR-12 CIAE-00 DODE-00 PM-05

H-02 INR-07 L-03 NSAE-00 PA-02 PRS-01 SP-02

SS-15 /074 W

-----032902 040832Z /10

P 040727Z OCT 77

FM AMEMBASSY AMMAN

TO USINFO WASHDC PRIORITY

INFO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 3405

NSC WHITE HOUSE PRIORITY

UNCLAS AMMAN 7243

USIAC

USIA FOR IOP/M: INA, IBS, IPS

E.O. 11652: N/A

SUBJECT: MEDIA REACTION

1. SUMMARY: JORDANIAN DAILIES OF OCT. 3 CONTINUED THEIR EXTENSIVE COVERAGE OF THE JOINT U.S.-SOVIET STATEMENT ON THE GENEVA PEACE CONFERENCE.

2. IN ITS EDITORIAL, AL-AKHBAR SAID "AFTER THE ISSUANCE OF THE U.S.-SOVIET STATEMENT, THE SITUATION IN THE AREA IS SIMILAR TO WHAT IT WAS IN NOVEMBER 1967 WITH THE SLIGHT DIFFERENCE THAT U.S. HAS WITHDRAWN HER SUPPORT FOR ISRAEL AND HAS PUT ITS WEIGHT IN THE U.N. ON THE SIDE OF PEACE EFFORTS. STILL THE ROAD TO PEACE IS VERY LONG AND HARD DESPITE ALL THE GOOD EFFORTS, AND IT NEEDS A LONG TIME TO BE SOLVED. ISRAEL USED TO CONFRONT THE ARABS ALONE BUT NOW IT HAS BEGUN TO CONFRONT THE WHOLE WORLD."

3. AR-RAY EDITORIAL STATES THAT AFTER THE ARAB STATES, THE PLO AND MOST OF THE WORLD INVOLVED IN SEEKING PEACE

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 02 AMMAN 07243 040814Z

IN THIS AREA RECEIVED THE U.S.-SOVIET STATEMENT WITH RELIEF AND CAUTIOUS ACCEPTANCE, ISRAEL CONSIDERED ITSELF ON ALERT TO CONFRONT THE INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENTS WHICH OPPOSE ITS OBSTINATE STANCES. THE BEGIN GOVERNMENT AND THE ISRAELI OPPOSITION LEADERS AGREED ON REJECTING THE JOINT STATEMENT, BECAUSE IT WAS AGAINST THEIR INTERESTS. ALTHOUGH THE STATEMENT HAS NOT

ACHIEVED ARAB HOPES FOR PEACE, IT HAS
RECOGNIZED THE LEGITIMATE RIGHTS OF THE PALESTINIANS AS A
BASE FOR SOLVING THE MIDDLE EAST PROBLEM. THE ROAD TO
PEACE IS STILL LONG AND HARD DESPITE ALL THE GOOD
EFFORTS. THE DIFFICULTIES WILL NOT BE OVERCOME UNLESS THE ARAB
STATES STAND IN ONE LINE TO FACE ALL POSSIBLE
DEVELOPMENTS IN ALL AREAS.
FOSTER

UNCLASSIFIED

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01-Jan-1994 12:00:00 am
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: PRESS COMMENTS, COMMUNIQUE, PEACE PLANS
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Sent Date: 04-Oct-1977 12:00:00 am
Decaption Date: 01-Jan-1960 12:00:00 am
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: n/a
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment:
Disposition Date: 01-Jan-1960 12:00:00 am
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1977AMMAN07243
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: N/A
Expiration:
Film Number: D770361-0271
Format: TEL
From: AMMAN
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1977/newtext/t19771096/aaaaddvm.tel
Line Count: 70
Litigation Code IDs:
Litigation Codes:
Litigation History:
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM
Message ID: 42a8ef37-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc
Office: ACTION NEA
Original Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a
Previous Classification: n/a
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: n/a
Retention: 0
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 12-Jan-2005 12:00:00 am
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review Media Identifier:
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
SAS ID: 1042590
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: MEDIA REACTION
TAGS: PGOV, IS, JO, US, UR
To: USIA
Type: TE
vdkgvwkey: odbc://SAS/SAS.dbo.SAS_Docs/42a8ef37-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc
Review Markings:
Margaret P. Grafeld
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
22 May 2009
Markings: Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 22 May 2009